

	<b><u>Reader</u></b>	<b><u>Readings</u></b>
Sun 3 Mar	Alan Waddell	Isaiah 55:9; 1 Corinthians 10:1-13, (Luke 13:1-9)
Sun 10 Mar	Margaret Gray	Joshua 5:9-12, 2 Corinthians 5:16-21, (Luke 15, 1-3, 11b-32)
Sun 17 Mar	Liz Johnson	Isaiah 50:4-9a, Philippians 3:4b-14 (John 12:1-8)
Sun 24 Mar	Various	Isaiah 50:4-9a, Philippians 2:5-11 (Luke 22:14-23, 56)
Sun 31 Mar	Alan Waddell	Isaiah 65:17-25, 1 Corinthians 5:6-8 (Luke 24:13-49)
Sun 7 Apr	Margaret Gray	Acts 5:27-32, Revelation 1:4-8 (John 20: 19-31)

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*Blessed be the name of Jesus  
who died to save us?*

*Blessed be Jesus,  
who had compassion on us?*

*Blessed be Jesus,  
Who suffered loneliness, rejection and pain  
for our sakes.*

*Blessed be Jesus,  
through whose cross I am forgiven.  
Lord Jesus, deepen my understanding  
of your suffering and death.*

***Written by young people in Kenya.***

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### **Notes from St Margaret's**

Today, in mid February, the weather for a change is dry and there are blue skies. Outside there is a crop of spring flower bulbs making their appearance in our garden and there are now roadsigns for Cambo snowdrops. I would recommend a visit. Spring will not be long and it is an early Easter.

Lent gives us a period of reflection, when we can all review our faith, whether in supporting St Margaret's during its transitional period or in the various volunteer community groups in Tayport.

Already the Easter bunny has been busy in the various retail outlets and there are numerous rows of brightly coloured chocolate Easter eggs.

However, as we prepare for the coming celebration of a joyous Easter, let us not forget the drama of the passion narrative and how, two thousand years later, we are still celebrating the good news of Easter and its continuing impact on our faith.

Best wishes

Margaret Gray



### **St Margaret's Coffee Morning**

The coffee morning was held on Saturday 16 February. The amount raised was £126. It was not too well attended but the people who did enjoyed themselves. There had also been a lot of donations.

### **March Events**

- Fri 1 Mar 2.00pm World Day of Prayer organised by CATT will be held at St Margaret's followed by refreshments in the Dickson Hall.
- Thurs 28 Mar 7.00pm Maundy Thursday. CATT will be having a walk to the harbour starting from the Parish Church followed by a service in the Parish Church at 7.30pm which members of all churches are invited to attend. There will be no service at St Margaret's on this day.

### **March Services Diary**

- Sun 3 Mar 10.30am Third Sunday of Lent . Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
- Sun 10 Mar 10.30am Fourth Sunday of Lent. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
- Sun 17 Mar 10.30am Fifth Sunday of Lent. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
- Sun 24 Mar 10.30am Six Sunday of Lent. (Palm Sunday) Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
- Fri 29 Mar 2.00pm Good Friday - Stations of the Cross.
- Sun 31 Mar 10.30am Easter Sunday. Family Eucharist followed by tea/coffee in the hall
- Sun 7 Apr 10.30 Second Sunday after Easter. Family Eucharist Followed by tea/coffee in the hall.

### **March Rotas**

	<b><u>Reception</u></b>	<b><u>Offering</u></b>
Sun 3 Mar	Janette Turvey	Liz Johnson
Sun 10 Mar	Christine Barker	Margaret Redpath
Sun 17 Mar	Margaret Redpath	Janette Turvey
Sun 24 Mar	Janette Turvey	Liz Johnson
Sun 31 Mar	Christine Barker	Margaret Redpath
Sun 7 Apr	Margaret Redpath	Janette Turvey

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